

Davis County EMS Council

August 2, 2018

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Present:

Chief Guido Smith, Chair, Farmington Fire
Chief Aaron Byington, Syracuse Fire
Chief Paul Erickson, Kaysville Fire
Cole Fessler, South Weber Fire
Chief Dave Olsen
Lieutenant Brandon Roundy, Davis County Sheriff
Dane Stone, South Davis Metro Fire
Chief Kevin Ward, Layton City Fire
Dr. Dennis Wyman
Dr. Blake Yerman

Visitors/Guests:

Ellis Bruch, Mountain Star
Jennifer Burnett, Intermountain Layton Hospital
Jason Buckway, Intermountain Hospitals
Cory Cox, Life Flight
Karen Dorsey, McKay Dee Hospital
Dena Eckardt, Davis Hospital
Tami Goodin, UBEMS
Jillyn Graham, Davis Hospital
Jeff Larsen, South Davis Metro Fire
Keith Simpson, Life Flight
Dr. Joel Taylor, Intermountain Layton Hospital
Chad Tucker, McKay Dee Hospital

County Staff Present:

Amy O'Dell, DCHD Administrative Secretary

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Davis County EMS Council was held Thursday, August 2, 2018 at the Davis County Health Department, Board Room, 22 South State Street, Clearfield, Utah. The meeting was called to order at 10:02 a.m. by Chief Guido Smith.

Welcome

Chief Guido Smith welcomed council members, staff and visitors to the meeting.

Minutes

The minutes of the May 3, 2018 meeting were presented and reviewed. Requested revisions included:

- 2017 EMS Protocol; Verbiage IN Intranasal Pediatric dose of Midazolam/Versed as 0.2 rather than .02
- South Weber Fire Department Ambulance Business Plan; Funding change from Davis County to South Weber City

Dr. Dennis Wyman *motioned to accept the revised minutes of the May 3, 2018 meeting.* Chief Kevin Ward *seconded. The vote was unanimous.*

Davis County EMS Protocols

Chief Smith opened a dialog regarding the publication of the adopted Davis County EMS Protocols. The Council shared concerns regarding several dosages that reflect in the 2017 Utah EMS Protocols, urging document modification by the state be completed. Tami Goodin stated that medical directors are authorized to approve agency specific variances to protocols. Council identified that Paramedic service agencies have done so. Additionally, Council discussion emphasized the need for consistent County level processes. The recommendation to move forward with publishing the documents the Davis County EMS Council agreed upon with dosage edits was offered.

Chief Aaron Byington *motioned to approve the publishing of the edited Davis County EMS Council Protocols.* Chief Dave Olsen *seconded. The vote was unanimous.*

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Chief Guido Smith confirmed that the Davis County EMS Protocols are adopted and accepted as such with dosage corrections until such time that the State documents are corrected or updated for full utilization.

Documents edits to the Davis County EMS Protocols includes:

- 2017 Utah EMS Cardiac Protocol Guidelines (*Note: DAVIS COUNTY EMS Revised 08/2018*)
Page 102; ALLERGIC REACTION AEMT Epinephrine dosage highlighted stricken on new Utah EMS document
Page 102; BRADYCARDIA (Symptomatic) AEMT Atropine 0.02 mg/kg IV/IO Utah EMS document
- 2017 Utah EMS General Protocol Guidelines (*Note: DAVIS COUNTY EMS Revised 08/2018*)
Page 127; PAIN AND ANXIETY MANAGEMENT AEMT Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg
- 2017 Utah EMS Medical Protocol Guidelines (*Note: DAVIS COUNTY EMS Revised 08/2018*)
Page 135; ALLERGIC REACTION / ANAPHYLAXIS PARAMEDIC Epinephrine highlighted is stricken on the Davis County EMS document
Page 137; BETA BLOCKER TOXICITY AEMT Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg
Page 150; SEIZURES AEMT Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg
Page 160; VIOLENT PATIENT CHEMICAL SEDATION TASER BARB REMOVAL AEMT Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg

The Davis County Government website was stated as the source to obtain the adopted protocols.

Nomination/Election of Chair 2019-2020

Chief Smith reported that nominations for EMS Council Chair and Vice-Chair would take place at the next council meeting scheduled for November 1, 2018. He noted that it is a two-year term of 2019-2020 calendar years. Discussions were encouraged for interested parties.

Intermountain Layton Hospital

Dr. Joel Taylor presented information to the Council regarding the new Intermountain Layton Hospital. Key points communicated about the hospital include Emergency Room, Patient Rooms, and Tele-Health Monitor care for all specialties. The hospital will open October 15, 2018. He stated that application processes for Level III trauma designation are underway. Council discussion regarding processes for closest agency, health crisis and patient preference were factors to consider. Chief Smith encouraged hospital networking.

The Council made a request for the hospital to provide the door code, radio and telephone information so that programming can be completed in preparation. Jennifer Burnett confirmed that she would provide the information once it is available.

Ms. Burnett shared that details regarding an EMS BBQ the first week of October are forthcoming. She also stated that agency tours of the services prior to the launch date could be arranged through her.

Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (BEMS) Update

Tami Goodin provided an update from the Utah Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (UBEMS). The BEMS update was provided to the Council and those in attendance. Ms. Goodin advised the Council that the state no longer uses Utrain.

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Community Events Discussion

- Tour of Utah
Lieutenant Brandon Roundy reported that Gold Cross ambulance coverage was committed for this event.
- Hill Air Force Base Air Show
Chief Kevin Ward acted as the Medical Branch Director. He shared that many resources were managed well despite some unplanned absences. He estimated that there were 500,000 attendees; only three transports over the three day event were needed.

Other Business

AirMed reported that they are moving to Flight Vector, a new program for Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) reporting. A generic login to identify the location of helicopters will be shared. The implementation of ultrasounds, blood products, and field amputation are among care services.

Adjournment

Chief Aaron Byington motioned to close the EMS Council meeting. Dr. Blake Yerman seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 a.m.

NEXT MEETING: **November 1, 2018**
 9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Medical Directors
 10:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m. Council, At-Large Attendees, and Guests